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Re: Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 and Petition for Extension of Time
 U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 10/827,238
 Our Ref. No.: YAS.048

Dear Examiner Phuong:

Attached herewith is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 and Petition for Extension of Time which is responsive to the Final Office Action dated May 28, 2008. Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,

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